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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
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For: LASER MARKING DEVICE, LASER MARKING METHOD, AND OBJECT TO BE MARKED

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that, preliminary to examination, the English language text be amended as follows: